

DOE

NEWS

NEWS MEDIA CONTACT:
National Science Bowl Press Room
301-347-3850

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
May 7, 2000

FUNDS FOR PHYSICS

The top 18 out of 60 teams competing in the tenth annual U.S. Department of Energy's National Science Bowl® in Washington, DC will each receive \$1,000 in recognition for their outstanding performance and advancing to the competition's double elimination rounds on Sunday evening. The funds will go to their school's physics lab.

The eighteen teams receiving the funds include:

A&M Consolidated High School, College Station, TX
Albuquerque Academy, Albuquerque, NM
Booker T. Washington High School, Tulsa, OK
Beavercreek High School, Beavercreek, OH
Chapel Hill High School, Chapel Hill, NC
duPont High School, Louisville, KY
Gateway Senior High School, Monroeville, PA
Louisiana School for Math, Science and the Arts, Natchitoches, LA
Loveland High School, Loveland, CO
Mississippi School for Math and Science, Columbus, MS
Montgomery Blair High School, Silver Spring, MD
Newton North High School, Newton, MA
North Hollywood High School, Hollywood, CA
Oviedo High School, Oviedo, FL
Paul M. Dorman High School, Spartanburg, SC
Reno High School, Reno, NV
Sycamore High School, Cincinnati, OH
Troy High School, Fullerton, CA

The teams competing in the National Science Bowl® are the first place winners of regional competitions held across the continental United States, Hawaii and the U.S. Virgin Islands earlier this year. During the competition student teams tackle tough questions in astronomy, biology, chemistry, mathematics, physics, earth, computer and general science.

The U.S. Department of Energy developed the National Science Bowl® in 1990 to encourage high school students from across the nation to excel in math and science and to pursue careers in those fields. Since its inception ten years ago, the number of students participating has increased from approximately 1,500 to 11,000. Overall, more than 70,000 students have competed in science bowl competitions.



Printed with soy ink on recycled paper

- DOE -